Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 29 Nov 2024 until 23:59 on Saturday 30 Nov 2024

Forecast Issued on Thursday 28 Nov 2024 at 17:39

Confidence: Generally high for Friday and most of the weekend, main uncertainties exact wind strength and extent of low cloud. Low confidence for timing of colder air on Monday, and for all aspects Tuesday.

Headline for Friday 29 Nov 2024: Low cloud and rain or drizzle. Gales on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 29 Nov 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG	FOG					
Fog	Fog	Fog	Drizzle	Drizzle	Heavy Rain	Drizzle	Drizzle
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	20%	30%	60%	70%	50%	40%

Forecast for Friday 29 Nov 2024

Weather: Very windy with gales across the summits and ridge top, and low cloud throughout. Patchy drizzle in the morning and evening with a spell of heavier rain during the afternoon. Mild temperatures, but feeling cold in strong winds across the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 10% or less.

Low cloud and visibility: Very poor visibility in persistent low cloud, this often down to the valleys on the southern slopes.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	42/56 S	40/54 S	38/52 S	41/55 S	40/55 S	45/62 S	38/53 S	32/44 S	28/38 SW
300	21/36 S	20/35 S	20/34 S	21/37 S	21/37 S	24/43 S	21/36 S	17/30 S	14/26 SW
Valley	18/36 S	17/34 S	17/34 S	18/36 S	18/36 S	21/41 S	17/33 S	14/27 S	12/25 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/1	8/1	8/2	8/2	8/2	8/2	8/3	8/3	8/3
300	9/5	9/5	9/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	10/7	9/6
Valley	10/6	10/7	10/7	10/7	10/7	11/7	11/8	11/8	10/8
<< Freezing Level*	2400m	2200m	2300m	2300m	2500m	2500m	2100m	1900m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Milder than recent days, but strong winds will still give a notable chill on the tops.

Forecast for Saturday 30 Nov 2024

Weather: Persistent low cloud with outbreaks of rain or drizzle at times. Heavier rain late evening bringing squally conditions.

Maximum wind: South-Southwest 20 mph gusting 35 mph, becoming South 35 gusting 45-50 mph by evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Nil.

Low cloud and visibility: Very poor visibility with persistent cloud down to 300m, often down to the valleys.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 11 Celsius rising to 13 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 8 or 9 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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